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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed on November 16, 2006, please consider the following amendments and remarks.